

TO-DAY

We Offer

Cotton  
Suitings

25 pieces 27-in Cotton Suiting Plaids, in all colors and fast colors. Worth 8 1-3c yd; today only, per yard:

6c.

Taffetta  
Silk

36-inch Taffetta Silk in black and white only. Goods the 1st in. in. world over at \$1.25 yd. Today only; per yard:

89c.

Boston  
Garters

For Men

25c per pair everywhere and the only strictly worthy support made. All colors. To day only, per pair:

19c.

No place in America gives grander values than us.

A. J.  
WAGNER  
& CO.

Ralston Whole Wheat Flour  
Ralston Graham Flour  
Pancake Flour, 2 lb pkgs  
Buckwheat Flour, 2 lb pkgs.  
Lyle's Golden Syrup  
Batavia Maple Syrup

New Almonds  
New Walnuts  
New Pecans  
New Brazil Nuts

An imported  
sugar syrup  
In quart glasses  
and all size tins

A choice  
list of  
Vegetables  
this morning

Howell & Newton, Inc.

Phones 23 and 150

## EMPTY GUN INTO BACK.

One Wound Nearly Admits a  
Man's Fist.

Dallas, Oct. 7.—Considerable excitement prevailed at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning at Main and Duncan streets, occasioned by a negro named Will Lewis firing both barrels of a shotgun at Bob Nichols, also a negro, inflicting wounds that physicians at once pronounced mortal. Both loads took effect in the back of Nichols, near the spinal column, while a few of the shot scattered and were picked out of various parts of the wounded man's back.

When the weapon was fired it was close to the victim's body and the wounds terrible in their nature. One hole is almost large enough to admit a man's fist. The wound looked like it had been inflicted with a hatchet. Lewis was jailed.

About a year ago Nichols, just a short distance from where Wednesday's tragic affair took place, shot and killed Mesa Lewis, a brother of Will. Nichols has since been out on the It is alleged Will Lewis' shot.

## Out of School Taxes.

Austin, Oct. 7.—The comptroller rules that under the law tax collectors over the state have a right to pay school coupon No. 1 when presented by county treasurers or treasurers of school taxes collected by such collector. This ruling was made in answer to a question raised by the American National bank here, one of the state depositories, that contended that all such money should be paid into depositories by tax collectors. The collectors should be paid by comptroller's warrants. The comptroller contends that this does not conflict with depository law.

## Diphtheria Closes Schools.

Saltsberg, Pa., Oct. 7.—Owing to the diphtheria epidemic public schools have been closed.

## NOBLE NICHOLAS NESTOR.

Rescues Aged Woman From Fire, but  
Is Himself Suffocated.

Jersey City, N. J., Oct. 7.—After rescuing an aged woman from a burning building, Policeman Nicholas Nestor of this city plunged again into the blazing building and met death by suffocation. Firemen found his body four hours afterwards in unburned part of the house.

Nestor was not missed by his companions and it was only after the building cooled sufficiently for examination that his body was found.

## Hughes Criticises Bryan.

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 7.—"Is It Possible Bryan Can Know Anything About the Principles of Business?"

Under this caption Governor Hughes of New York, in Bryan's home city, attacked the industrial and labor policies of the Democratic candidate for president. He was greeted at the station by a large crowd. Governor Hughes was escaped amid enthusiastic demonstration at the opera house, where he spoke to a audience.

## John W. Rich's Awful Deeds.

John W. Rich, a young farmer, who resided in the Lambert's Point section, shot and killed his sister-in-law, Miss Josephine Cromwell; his father-in-law, Beverly Cromwell, and committed suicide after he killed his father-in-law's horse. A shotgun was the weapon used. The tragedy was caused by domestic troubles.

## Union Proclaimed.

Athens, Oct. 7.—Dispatches received here from Canaan announce the people of Crete proclaimed the union of that island with Greece.

## Corn and Spring Wheat.

Washington, Oct. 7.—The department of agriculture reports corn condition 77.9; spring wheat quality, 88.1.

## Alabama Negro Burns to Death.

Birmingham, Oct. 7.—During a fire here A. A. McLennahan, a negro, was burned to death.

## WEDNESDAY A BUSY DAY.

Stubbs, Wheeler and Other Men  
Deliver Speeches.

San Francisco, Oct. 7.—The second day's sessions of the Transmississippi Commenced congress proved a busy one and numerous speakers addressed the delegates, who accorded strict attention to the important subjects discussed.

J. C. Stubbs, director of traffic of over 16,000 miles of the Harriman railroads, was one of the speakers, his subject being "Transportation." Mr. Stubbs delivered his address at the special request of Mr. Harriman. The speaker went into the relation of railroads to the work of developing the transmississippi country fully and showed how big transportation companies had been doing work all along the lines mapped out by the congress for many years.

Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president of the University of California, addressed the meeting, his subject being "West of the Mississippi River, What Does It Mean?"

Colonel Fred Fleming of Kansas City took for his subject "Western Insurance," while Governor Cutrer of Utah and former Governor Pardee of



BENJ. IDE WHEELER.

California both paid attention to the "Conservation of Natural Resources."

The delegates are greatly impressed with the work of conservation that has already been done in Utah and California as outlined by the speakers, and warmly applauded Governor Cutrer's remarks as to the prominent part President Roosevelt had taken in forwarding this work in all parts of the country.

## Pulled Overboard and Drowns.

Galveston, Oct. 7.—Harry Clark, a dock worker, ran a heavy truck off a pier and was pulled over by it into the bay. His head struck a projection, causing him to become unconscious, and drowning followed. Clark was

## Picking Retarded.

Georgetown, Tex., Oct. 7.—A heavy rain and wind storm, accompanied by severe lightning, struck here early Wednesday morning, damaging crops and farm property. Picking was put back three days.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE  
CONDITION OFTHE CITY NATIONAL BANK  
OF BRYAN TEXAS

As made to the Comptroller of the Currency  
at the close of business September 23, 1908.

## RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts.....	\$253,735.42
Advances on Cotton.....	9,830.33
U. S. Bonds and Premiums.....	104,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....	2,626.00
Expenses and Taxes Paid.....	1,972.33
CASH.....	203,343.77
	\$575,507.85

## LIABILITIES

Capital Stock.....	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Profits.....	91,851.63
Circulation.....	50,000.00
DEPOSITS.....	383,656.22

\$575,507.85

THE STATE OF TEXAS, }  
County of Brazos. } I, Albert W. Wilkerson,  
Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear  
that the above statement is true to the best of my  
knowledge and belief.

ALBERT W. WILKERSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this the 26th day  
of September, 1908. FRED. L. CAVITT,  
Notary Public Brazos County, Texas.

Correct—Attest: } G. S. Parker  
J. W. English  
E. H. Astin  
Directors.

## Emergency Cement Rate.

Austin, Oct. 7.—The railroad commission issued an order placing an emergency rate of 5 cents per 100 pounds on cement from Harry, at which place the cement plant is located near Dallas, to Houston and Galveston. Present rate is 10 cents to Houston and 15 cents to Galveston. The emergency rate is placed to meet

Kansas points to Houston and Galveston, from 28 1-2 cents to 16 cents. Effectively immediately.

## Publicity.

"Twas in the newspaper, and all the world now knows it," is the motto of a leading advertising agency.

Attorney Spends Hour In  
Fort Worth, Oct. 7.—Judge  
of the city police court fined Clarence  
Parker, a well known attorney, \$10  
and sentenced him to twelve hours in  
jail on contempt charge. Parker spent  
an hour in jail before he was released.  
The difficulty arose during an unim-  
portant trial.

Fort Worth, Oct. 7.—W. A. Butts,  
president of the Estacado and Gulf  
Railroad company has announced he  
will maintain headquarters at Fort  
Worth. Track laying on the new road  
commenced at Roby and will connect  
with Fort Worth and later extend  
south to the Gulf of Mexico from Roby.

Slater & Morrill \$5.00 Shoes  
.. FOR MEN ..

**WE are exclusive sellers of this famous high  
grade make of Men's Shoes in Bryan. Call  
and see the new styles and leathers we are  
showing. We guarantee the "S. & M" the best  
\$5.00 Shoe in America.**

**WILSON & DERDEN**  
.. PHONE 129 ..

.. REMEMBER ..

## American Beauty Flour

the most delicious biscuit; the best bread; the lightest cake.

## Richelieu Coffee

Is the most fragrant; the most nourishing; the most pleasant to the taste; the most healthful.

.. ALSO REMEMBER ..

We would appreciate your October trade.

## E. J. FOUNTAIN

The Quality Grocer. Phones 111 and 179

## Bryan Morning Eagle

Entered at the Postoffice in Bryan, Texas, as second class matter.

By THE EAGLE PRINTING CO.

BRYAN, TEXAS, OCT. 8, 1908

In the number of his "affinities" King Solomon still holds the record.

"A second Andrew Jackson," is what John W. Kern says William J. Bryan is.

Campaign lies will be flying around as thick as blackbirds the first three days of November—too late to be nailed.

With circuses, baseball and politics at home, the American people have no time to spare for that Bulgarian row.

The whirlwind campaign which the Republicans promised in Texas has turned out to be only a little dust raiser.

It is about as hard to decide who is responsible for that Osage oil lease as it is to tell who struck Billy Patterson.

Always a little in advance of the others.  
The best and freshest goods at prices a little lower.

## Economy

People are interested in our Sick Room Supplies because they know that the name of Emmel & Maloney is a symbol of best goods at lowest prices.

If you have to make any Sick Room purchases, and if you are particular about it and want to have the element of uncertainty entirely done away with, then see that you get them here.

## Emmel & Maloney

Prescription Druggists.

Manufacturers "KASTOL," the perfect tasteless Castor Oil.

## WEBB BROS.

IS NOW READY TO DRESS A MAN AS HE SHOULD BE DRESSED--IN HIGH GRADE CLOTHING AT A VERY MODERATE COST.

NOT only do we give you quality and value in every clothes deal, but you have here the advantage of choosing from the greatest variety of fabrics, the newest and most attractive patterns, and by far the cleverest and smartest styles in New Fall Suits offered today by any clothiers.

Progress Brings Conveniences.

Clothes making has developed, but the greatest forward step is marked by the

## R. & W. PATENTED 'VESTWO' SUITS,

The illustration explains its conveniences. You will discover economy, novelty and exclusiveness.

Come and see the actual garments; many points of interest to show you.

## WEBB BROS.

"CHEERFUL CLOTHES FOR MEN"

The animals in the no longer harass. They know Teddy has with the animals at home.

The Corsicana Sun sigh: "Some heartache went with the clearing of Corsicana of dogs, but the public must be protected." Bryan would feel better after a similar publication.

The Eagle has believed all the time that Roosevelt was a fraud and said so more than a year ago in the heyday of his popularity. No honest man would steal another's ideas, as he tried to steal Bryan's and claim them for his own.

The elephant is said to be manageable up to fifty years of age, but after that his temper grows so bad that he has to be retired from the ring. This applies to the g. o. p. elephant, which is a little over fifty years old.

In Chicago today an immense audience will see a spectacle without precedent in history: Mr. Bryan and Mr. Taft, candidates for the presidency, of the two great national parties, will appear on the same platform. Such an event in the midst of one of the most exciting and hotly contested campaigns ever known is auspicious of the passing of partisan rancor and the dawn of an era of good will to all men.

According to the Palestine Herald, Gov. Campbell is not sick but just lying down. The Herald says: "Governor Campbell is not really a sick man—not in the sense that is generally understood. He is just like every other man who ever lived in Palestine—he gets kinder 'home sick' to be back among the old red hills and among the people of his old acquaintance. A short time here will make him feel all right again, and the people here are always glad to have him here."

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Applications for rehearing in the case of the state of Texas vs. Felix Brown, murder in the first degree and same vs. George Childress, assault with intent to murder, were overruled in the District Court here Wednesday, and notice of appeal given. Brown was convicted a few days ago of the murder of Harry Williams, a white man, at Mudville on the 28th of August, and the jury gave him a life term in the penitentiary. The evidence upon which the case was tried was purely circumstantial.

Childress, also colored, shot out his brother's right eye, and was given two years by the trial jury.

In the case of Wolff vs. Houston and Texas Central Railway company, damages, a motion for rehearing was overruled and notice of appeal given.

One of a group of damages resulting from destruction of cotton by fire at the compress platform here in December of 1906. The total amount of damages sought by the several plaintiffs is about \$125,000 and the trial occupied the first two weeks of the present term of court.

Oysters served in any style. Family trade solicited.

C. C. EDINBURG.

D. Conlee Di-  
attempt in Time.

er jail delivery was made yesterday by the Deputy Sheriff John Nall, more often referred to as "Nall the horse." A large number of prisoners have been confined in jail here for the past several weeks. The majority of these are negroes, but in the bunch there were five white men, and it was these who attempted the delivery. Just why Mr. Conlee suspected anything wrong, he can not positively state himself, but for the past several days he has felt that all was not right at the jail, and on the night before last phoned Sheriff Nall that he felt all was not well at the jail, and warned that official to be particularly careful on entering the jail next morning and not give the prisoners an opportunity to get the advantage of him.

When the two officers met yesterday it was decided to go through the jail and make a thorough inspection. Beginning at the door of the upper corridor, they carefully examined every lock and bar, and found everything in good shape, until the rear of the runaround was reached, when, pounding on the steel wall, with a hammer, it was discovered that a section of the wall sufficiently large to allow the passage of a man's body had been sawed entirely through in some places along the outline of the section to be removed, and very nearly through for the entire length.

The crevice in the steel had been cleverly filled with soap and smeared over until there was no probability of detection, except under minute examination. It is believed that the men intended to cut their way through, then drop to the lower floor, where they could have either knocked a hole through the brick wall and escaped, or overpowered the sheriff when he entered the jail in the morning.

The work was done by the white prisoners, only three of whom are now confined in jail, the other two having been taken out to work on the county roads a few days ago. No saw or other tool was found upon those now confined, but the sheriff has withdrawn the liberty of the runaround and they are now locked in their cells. All three are four year men, convicted at the present term of District Court.

Through Mr. Conlee's vigilance there is no doubt that a jail delivery was prevented.

FOR SALE—Young Jersey cow with young calf.

J. N. COLE. 265.

Ash Pond, on my place in the Brazos bottom, has been leased for hunting purposes for 20 years. I am under agreement to lease same, and any one trespassing will be prosecuted.

Mr. W. R. Parker, school trustee, and a well known citizen of the Thompson Creek community, was in the city Wednesday morning. Mr. Parker states that all schools in district 17 of Brazos county will begin on Monday, Oct. 12th.

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Ring Vick's Feed Store for all kinds of feed stuff. Home ground corn.

For sale—Three lots of ground, spring wagon and two good ponies.

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## Grocery Orders

Ring 22 or 114 and give us your order this morning. We will save you a dollar or two this month if you will give us your entire bill.

Courteous treatment and prompt delivery.

## Fruits and Fresh Vegetables

# ED. HALL

Pure Food Distributor

### RAILROAD TIME CARD.

H. & T. C. Schedule.

No. 3 North bound.....1:38 p.m.  
No. 5 North bound.....12:46 a.m.  
No. 2 South bound.....3:40 p.m.  
No. 9 South bound.....2:48 a.m.

I. & G. N. Schedule.

No. 102 North bound.....12:54 p.m.  
No. 101 South bound.....4:14 p.m.

### LOCALS AND PERSONALS.

Your merchant handles fresh home ground meal, ask for it.

College and Baylor football teams will play a game at College next Saturday afternoon.

FOR SALE CHEAP—One small second hand iron safe. See J. A. Myers.

Fresh bread, cakes, etc., at the Texas Bakery, Mrs. Otto Boehme, Proprietor.

Mr. T. R. Battie Jr., has returned from a survey of the dralainge district of Burleson county, and reports work progressing nicely. The survey will be completed this week.

Ladies don't forget to phone 389 if you want your coat suit altered, cleaned and pressed.

Mr. Cole Shelburne of Houston is visiting his father, Mr. A. B. Shelburne, and sister, Miss Lila, at their home in this city.

Mrs. O. P. Bittle left yesterday for a visit to her son in Washington, La. Salesman wanted. Experience unnecessary. \$100 per month and expenses. Royal Cigar Co., Chicago, Ill.

Mr. J. C. Albritton, who will speak at Steep Hollow tomorrow and at the court house here tomorrow night, is expected to arrive from Galveston at 12:38 tonight.

Furniture crated and uncrated, carpets and matting taken up and laid, also making skirt and shirt waist boxes. Furniture repaired. Call Phone 3-9-2 J. F. Stuart.

Mrs. J. J. Watson and daughter, Miss Ollie, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Anthony for some time, left yesterday for their home in New Orleans.

If you want first-class tailoring, cleaning and pressing on short notice, phone 389.

Miss Irma Royder of Wellborn returned to her home in Wellborn yesterday after a short trip to this city.

### Ladies Notice.

I have a first-class tailor who is experienced in altering ladies suits, also cleaning and pressing them, therefore I am now making a specialty of this kind of work. Satisfaction guaranteed and your patronage solicited. UNION TAILOR SHOP, 264 E. L. Beard, Prop.

Mrs. Richard McDonald of Norman was a visitor to the city yester-

Many a woman experienced the loss or wear out of the working parts of the sewing or ordinary machine which could not be replaced. If you buy Singer you get the best machine made and from a company that is in every town and city in the United States.

T. A. SATTERWHITE, Salesman, Phone 105.

Mr. Robt Childress of Kurten was in the city yesterday.

Yes Mam, we can alter your coat suit and guarantee satisfaction. 264 UNION TAILOR SHOP.

copy. Cavitt's Drug Store.

Square bales today brought 9c; round bales, 9 5-8c; \$3.12 net difference. Gin at Dunlap's.

Miss Clara Wilson has accepted a position with A. J. Wagner & Co. of this city.

# Frederick Warde

WILL LECTURE

Grand Opera House

Bryan

Friday Night, Oct. 9

—ON—

# Julius Cæsar

General Admission 75c; Students 50c.

D... realize what an advantage you have in buying your Fall clothes at this store?

### First

You have the largest and most complete stock to select from in Central Texas; nearly every correct pattern and color for this season can be found in our large assortment, and no matter what your size or shape may be we can fit you perfectly, so complete is our range of prices.

### Second

You have the benefit of store service, which has been built up by 13 years of successful selling of Men's Clothing. No other store in Bryan can offer you the service this store does.

### Third

At this store only can you buy the famous

## Hart Schaffner & Marx

Hand Tailored Clothes

This fact alone is sufficient reason for every man in Bryan and vicinity to buy his Fall Suit and Overcoat here. In no other line in this country can you find the quality, the style, and the workmanship, for the price asked. A look will convince you more than anything we can say what splendid Fall Suits we are showing in this make at

**\$20.00**

May we have a look?

Watch our show windows.



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Hart Schaffner & Marx

# Parks & Waldrop

Bryan's Big Clothing Store

## Give Us Your October Business

WE ARE ESPECIALLY PREPARED TO PLEASE THE CITY TRADE.

### Try LaFrance Flour

FRESH TOMATOES  
FRESH LETTUCE  
FRESH GREEN ONIONS  
FRESH SWEET PEPPERS  
FRESH CELERY  
FRESH SNAP BEANS  
FRESH EGG PLANT  
FRESH GREEN BLACK-EYE PEAS

FRESH CABBAGE  
FRESH IRISH POTATOES  
FRESH DOOLY YAM POTATOES  
ORANGES  
BANANAS  
GRAPES  
APPLES  
COCONUTS

LYNDON CANNED AND BOTTLED GOODS  
PREMIUM HAMS  
FRESH COUNTRY BUTTER  
FRESH CREAMERY BUTTER  
FRESH EGGS  
NICE CHICKENS

FREE DELIVERY—PHONE 386.

# C. E. Bullock & Company

FIFTY MORE BEAUTIFUL

## Princess Suits

TO ARRIVE AND WILL BE ON DISPLAY IN ONE WEEK, WAIT TO SEE THEM.

'Phone 19

On the Corner

**EUGENE EDGE**

On the Corner



## INSURANCE

me. I represent the Oldest and Best Companies. Your Business given my personal attention, and appreciated.

### C. E. BOYETT

Fire, Tornado, Accident, Plate Glass, Bonds and Live Stock

Residence Phone 257. Office Phone 372.

We have completed  
our line of

### Eastman Kodak Goods

Haswell's Book Store

## ALWAYS READY

With the Newest Seasonable Fabrics for Men's Clothing. The old reliable

### JOHN WITTMAN TAILOR SHOP

Can always be depended on for Quality, Style, Fit and Promptness. Give us your orders.

JOHN WITTMAN, Merchant Tailor

### S. H. FRANKLIN'S Meat Markets

Upper Market Phone 301  
Lower Market Phone 326

Choicest of Beef, Pork, Veal, Mutton, and Sausage. Your trade is appreciated.

1873

Thirty-Five Years' Reputation

Stands as a Guarantee of the Quality of all Liquors sold by

### E. ROHDE

long experience, dealing with a careful selection of the best brands has been made enables me to offer my patrons a choice assortment of

### Whiskies, Brandies, Wines, Etc.

1908

Life in the SOUTHWESTERN LIFE INSURANCE CO., Dallas, Tex.

Because it is a Texas company, has ample capital and Surplus and keeps Texas money in Texas. Joe B. Reed will explain the different plans and rates, and can also write Accident and Sick Benefit Insurance in best companies and give you just what you want, and you will know what you are getting. Every man and woman under 50, in good health, should join

### FRIEND IN NEED SOCIETY.

Many are now enjoying the benefits of Life Insurance that would not if not for my efforts

JOE B. REED.

### THE BEST IN BRYAN

TRY A SACK

Bult's Excellence  
Valley Cream  
White Swan

### FLOUR

FRESH FAMILY GROCERIES

### SANDERS BROS.



### Attractive Laundry Work

has a charm of its own aside from a pleasing personality. That is why work done by the Bryan Steam Laundry has so many admirers. The simple reason is that we "know how" to do the work properly, and furthermore we do it. We take the trouble to do it right. Lots of people know how to do a thing, but they haven't pride enough to do it properly. We are not that kind.

BRYAN STEAM LAUNDRY

W. O. HEARN, Proprietor.

### NOW OPEN The TOM LEE & CO. RESTAURANT

ON MAIN STREET

REGULAR DINNERS 25 CENTS. SHORT ORDERS A SPECIALTY.

FRESH OYSTERS and FISH.

OPEN EVENINGS.

PERFECT SERVICE

THE MANHATTAN LIFE IS NOT A RACER FOR NEW BUSINESS AND ITS WATCH-WORDS ARE, STRENGTH, SOLIDITY, AND SECURITY.

### LOOK AT THE FIGURES!

From its organization (1850) to January 1, 1907, the Manhattan Life has received in premiums from its policy holders \$72,989,276. In 57 years it has paid to its policy holders \$57,430,159. And it holds assets of \$19,565,450.

A total of \$76,995,609

Which Exceeds the Premiums received by \$4,006,333  
S. L. BOATWRIGHT, AGENT

### MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION

#### Constitution and By-Laws Yesterday Afternoon

At a well attended meeting held in K. of P. hall, on the 21st instant, a constitution and by-laws governing the body were adopted.

Owing to an indisposition President Edge requested Vice-President E. J. Fountain to preside over the meeting and Mr. Ed Dedevelle as secretary.

The laws adopted give considerable scope to the work of the organization, and since this work must result beneficially to the members of the Association, and to the town, affiliation with the club would seem to be inviting to every merchant of progress in the city.

The object of the association is to unite in one common brotherhood all the retail merchants in the city of Bryan to protect their common interests as retail merchants and the interests of the general public in the matter of handling and selling goods.

At the meeting yesterday it was decided that in future regular meetings would be held on the third Friday in each month. It was also decided to place the amount of monthly dues at one dollar.

The selection of a secretary was deferred at the request of the executive committee and the meeting adjourned subject to call of the president.

A list of the officers and members will be published in these columns as soon as the roll is completed.

### THE FARMERS' UNION.

#### Mr. J. C. Albritton Will Make Two Addresses Friday.

Mr. W. L. Edge, president, Mr. I. M. Cook, former president, and Mr. T. P. Hall, all prominently identified with the Farmers' Union movement and agricultural affairs generally in this section, were here yesterday. Arrangements are making for the County Union Meeting, which occurs at Steep Hollow next Friday and Saturday, at which time Mr. J. C. Albritton of Galveston will address the gathering.

On Friday the same speaker will be heard at the courthouse in Bryan in a lecture to which the officers and members of the Union invite the general public, and particularly the mercantile and business and professional element of that public who feel an interest in the affairs of the community will no doubt attend the meeting.

Mr. Albritton occupies a very responsible position, both in the business world and with the Farmers' Union.

He will come to Bryan as the representative of State President Neill, and he has a message of especial interest to deliver to the people of this section.

He will speak at Steep Hollow Friday morning and at the courthouse in Bryan Friday night, and will no doubt be greeted with large audiences as the importance of his message demands.

### The Bachelor Girls.

The Bachelor Girls' Club, a recent society organization upon whose roster appears the names of some of the most charming young ladies in the city, met with Miss Jessie Garth yesterday afternoon and elected officers for the ensuing term, as follows:

Miss Jessie Garth, president; Miss Emily Thomas, vice-president; Miss Emmie Fountain, Miss Gussie Buchanan, Miss Mai Wilson and Miss Jessie Seale were added to the membership.

After the transaction of the business before it, the club adjourned to meet next week with Miss Alberta Adams.

### THE COTTON MARKET.

The Bryan spot market showed more strength yesterday and an improvement in price.

The tone was firm and the market closed at slightly higher prices over Tuesday.

Strict low middling 8 1-8c.

Middling 8 3-8c.

Strict middling 8 1-2c.

Good middling 8 5-8c.

Sales yesterday 125 bales.

### Called to Colors.

Paris, Oct. 7.—Official advices received at Paris indicate a great degree of popular excitement in Serbia.

Further mobilization orders have been issued and reserves called to colors

are said to be 75,000.

It is feared the Belgrade government, in order to save itself, will be driven to embark on a

desperate adventure against Austria-Hungary.

### Posted In Provinces.

Sarajevo, Bosnia, Oct. 7.—The imperial proclamation setting forth the

annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina to Austria-Hungary has been posted

throughout the occupied provinces.

The announcement has been given a

mixed reception.

### One Killed, One Wounded, One Beaten

Nashville, Oct. 7.—In an attempt to

escape after being arrested early Wed-

nesday morning Lucian Ferriss was

shot and instantly killed by Police

Sergeant George Smith. A brother of

the dead man, Hubbard Ferriss, was

dangerously wounded and Sergeant

Smith himself badly beaten about the

head. The affair took place almost di-

rectly in front of the police station.

### Never Felt Better, Says Mack.

Chicago, Oct. 7.—Chairman Mack of the Democratic national committee, who, it was reported, had suffered a

nervous collapse Tuesday night, was

on duty as usual Wednesday. He de-

clared he never felt better in his life

when reference was made to his re-

ported illness.

### Car Held Up, Conductor Robbed.

East Liverpool, O., Oct. 7.—Three

masked men held up a street car and

relieved Conductor Brooks of \$21.

### Fresh oysters received daily

solicited. Tom Lee & Co. restaurant,

throughout the season. Family trade

Main street.

1mo

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